(*f*) To render every month to the District Forest Officer, an account of the number of cart-loads of Tangadi and Kakke bark collected and carted during the month.

(*g*) To provide printed passes for the export of the bark under his signature for each cart-load in such form as may be prescribed by the District Forest Officer.

(*h*) To remove out of the limit of the district before the 31st July 1918, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

(*i*) In the event of the breach of any of the above conditions, the security amount will be liable to forfeiture in whole or part at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner.

P. S. GOVINDA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

SAGAR DISTRICT FOREST.

Notification dated 19th September 1916.

It is hereby notified that, the right of collection and removal of bamboos in the undermentioned State and District Forests of the Sagar District Forest from 1st December 1916 to 30th November 1917, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer, Sagar, on the dates and at the time and places specified below:—

Name of Forest Range	Name of forest	Block or compartment	Minimum quantity to be purchased		Date of sale	Place of sale
			Big bamboos	Small bamboos including garte		
1. Sorab ...	Telagadde State Forest.	Whole area ...	5,000	.....		
	Chandragutti ...	Do ...	.....	8,000		
	Bettadakurli ...	Do ...	10,000	.....		
	Basavanandihalli...	Do ...	2,000	.....		
	Kavadi ...	Do ...	2,000	1,500	20th October 1916	Sirakoppa
	Kavali ...	Do ...	1,000	.....		
	Togarsi ...	Do ...	1,000	.....		
	Shiddeballi plantation.	Do ...	1,000	.....		
	District Forests of whole Range.	Do ...	2,000	6,000		—
2. Ananthapur ...	Belandur State and District Forests.	Do ...	25,000	8,000		
	Malandur State and District Forests.	Do ...	10,000	5,000		
	Ullur State and District Forests.	Do ...	5,000	2,000	Do ...	Sirakoppa
	Maisani State and District Forests.	Do ...	25,000	5,000		
	Maisani District Forests.	Do ...	10,000	3,000		
3. Shikarpur ...	Karadibetta State Forest.	Tuppur working circle.	5,000	2,000		—
		Chordi working circle.	10,000	2,000		
		Karalibetta ...	10,000	2,000		
		Hireharka ...	5,000	2,000		
	Chandrakal State Forest.	Whole area ...	2,000	50,000		
	Chandrakal District Forest.	Do ...	3,000	10,000	22nd do ...	Shikarpur
	Gangavanasara State Forest.	Do ...	.....	5,000		
	Gangavanasara District Forests.	Do ...	2,000	.....		
	Markande State Forest.	Do ...	1,000	2,000		
	Yerokatte State Forests.	Do ...	1,000	2,000		
	Belandur and Ambagolla.	District Forests	10,000	3,000		
4. Hippanpet ...	Masrur State Forest.	North & south working circles.	3,000	2,000		
	Harohillu State Forest.	Whole area ...	.....	2,000	25th do ...	Kumsi
	Tuppur, Chordi, Horaball and Balekoppa ...	District Forests	5,000	2,000		
5. Nagar ...	Mugudthi and Kodur District Forests.	Do ...	10,000	.....		

2. The sale is subject to the confirmation of the Conservator of Forests in the case of State Forests and of the Deputy Commissioner in the case of the District Forests, in whom shall vest the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

3. The highest bidder shall deposit ten per cent of the lease amount immediately the sale is concluded, failing which the produce will be resold at his risk in which case, he shall be liable to make good any loss thereby caused to Government, (this being recovered as a revenue demand), but shall not participate in any profit arising therefrom.

4. The successful purchaser or lessee shall pay the balance of the lease in three monthly instalments, failing which the amount deposited or the whole amount paid already, as the case may be, will be forfeited to Government and the right resold subject to the conditions stipulated in para 3 *supra*. The first instalment should be paid within five days from the date on which the confirmation of sale is intimated to him.

5. The lessee shall within a week from the date on which the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him execute and sign an agreement binding himself to observe the following conditions; in default, the money paid by him will be forfeited to Government and the right disposed of by resale at his risk as defined in paras 3 and 4 *supra*. The lessee shall not be allowed to enter the Forest and cut bamboos until he has executed the agreement and further paid the first instalment of the lease amount.

(*a*) The bamboos shall be collected or stored outside the block at such place or places as may be fixed by the Range Officer concerned and allowed to be removed on check by him and after a "permit to remove" is issued. Removal without such permits will be an offence to be dealt with according to law.

(*b*) The lessee shall not cut bamboos outside the limits of the block to which the lease refers.

(*c*) The lessee will be personally held responsible for the acts of his agents or servants or coolies in the business of collection and removal of bamboos and for preventing the cutting of culms under two years by himself, his agents, servants or coolies.

(*d*) The lessee shall not sell the right purchased by him to other person or persons or appoint any agent or agents to work for him, without obtaining the previous permission in writing of the District Forest Officer.

(*e*) The lessee shall collect and remove the full quantity purchased from the limits of the forest before the end of November 1917. No permission will be granted for cutting and collection of bamboos after that date, but in very exceptional cases an extension of time not exceeding three months will be granted by the Conservator of Forests only for removal.

(*f*) The lessee shall accept the minimum quantity fixed in the notification as available in the block or area concerned and shall have no claim on the department for any deficit that may be found.

(*g*) The lessee shall abide by such orders as the District Forest Officer may issue regulating the transport of bamboos to and collection at the rafting stations.

(*h*) The lessee will be held responsible for the occurrence of any fire within the forest, if there is sufficient ground for the Forest Department to suspect that it was caused by his negligence or by that of his employees.

(*i*) Neither the lessee nor his employees shall enter the forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*j*) The lessee shall deposit Rs. 100 (one hundred only) as security for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the lease. In the event of breach of any of the above conditions, the money deposited as security shall be forfeited to Government in whole or part as the District Forest Officer may decide and the lease liable to be cancelled.

6. No bamboos should be collected between 15th February and 30th April in the State Forests.

7. The sale does not prohibit the issue of retail licenses at seigniorage rates or the exercise of the rights of the villagers.

M. VENKATANARASAPPA,
District Forest Officer.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO THE MYSORE STATE LIFE INSURANCE COMMITTEE, BANGALORE.

Notice dated 19th September 1916.

Sealed tenders are invited for the supply of the undermentioned articles of furniture required for the Office of the Secretary to the Mysore State Life Insurance Committee. The tenders should reach the undersigned on or before the 31st October 1916. They should